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SERIAL NO. 10/729,318	GROUP ART UNIT: 3723
FILED: December 5, 2003	EXAMINER: Lee D. Wilson
TITLE: SECURED THREADING NUT DECKING CLAMP AND METHOD FOR MAKING SAME	
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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION DATED MARCH 3, 2005

This correspondence is being filed as a full response to the Office Action dated March 3, 2005. Applicants respectfully requests entry of the following amendments and for consideration of the appended remarks.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 3 of this paper.